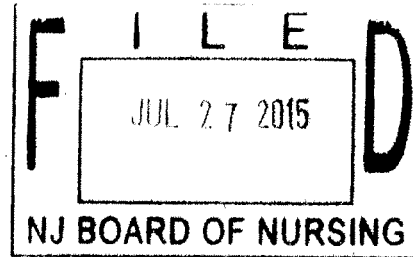


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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
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STATE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE CERTIFICATE OF	:	Administrative Action
Noemi C. Serrano, C.H.H.A.	:	
	:	
Certificate No. 26NH10832800	:	ORDER OF SUMMARY
	:	SUSPENSION
TO PRACTICE AS A CERTIFIED	:	
HOMEMAKER-HOME HEALTH AIDE	:	
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY	:	

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of information revealing the following:

1. Respondent, Noemi C. Serrano, C.H.H.A., is the holder of Certificate No. 26NH10832800 and was certified to practice as a Homemaker-Home Health Aide in the State of New Jersey on August 4, 2008 and thereafter permitted that certification to lapse on November 30, 2011.

2. The Board is in receipt of information that Respondent was arrested on September 3, 2014 by the Toms River Police Department for violations of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-10A(1) Possession of Controlled Dangerous Substance Or Analog and N.J.S.A. 2C:29-3A(7) Hinder Apprehension. On March 31, 2015, Respondent was found guilty by the Ocean County Superior Court for violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:29-3B Hinder Apprehension/Prosecution and sentencing was scheduled on May 22, 2015.

3. Respondent's failure to submit her biennial renewal in New Jersey in 2011 has resulted in a lapsed status and the automatic suspension of Respondent's certificate to practice as a Homemaker-Home Health Aide in the State of New Jersey without a hearing pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-7.1(b).

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 27th day of July, 2015,

ORDERED THAT:

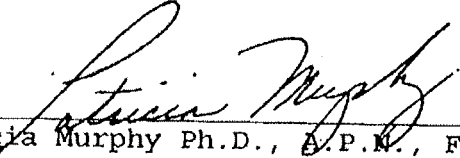
1. Respondent's certificate to practice as a certified Homemaker-Home Health Aide in the State of New Jersey is suspended by operation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-7.1, without a hearing.

2. In the event that Respondent seeks reinstatement of her New Jersey certificate at any time in the future, then this Order shall require Respondent to appear before the New Jersey State Board of Nursing to establish that she is fit to practice as a certified Homemaker-Home Health Aide in New Jersey and provide information regarding the circumstances surrounding the

incident. Additionally, the Board reserves the right to take disciplinary action and place restrictions and/or limitations upon Respondent's certificate to practice as a Homemaker-Home Health Aide in the State of New Jersey.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

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